

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## BOMB THREAT AT FOND DU LAC SCHOOL

On Wednesday, May 25, 2016 at 9:53 am, officers with the Fond du Lac Police Department received information that a staff member at Evans Elementary School received a recorded message that there was an explosive device in the school (similar to the calls that have been recently reported by other jurisdictions). The Fond du Lac Police Department followed the emergency protocol in place developed in partnership with the Fond du Lac School District.

Students and staff were evacuated from the building and were taken to Sabish Middle School. Members of the Fond du Lac Police Department and Fond du Lac School District checked the building and determined that the threat was not credible. Students and staff were allowed back in Evans Elementary School around 10:37 am.

This incident is another example of an excellent working relationship between the Fond du Lac Police Department and the Fond du Lac School District. While no credible threat actually developed in this case, the collaborative effort on everybody's part along with existing safety protocols helped ensure necessary precautions were put in place and that the safety of the children in these schools was the priority.

No other information regarding this case is available at this time.

Capt. Aaron Goldstein